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For: PERFLUOROPOLYETHER ADDITIVES FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL APPLICATIONS

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated October 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: